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For: FILTERING DEVICE FOR A PORTABLE BEVERAGE CONTAINER

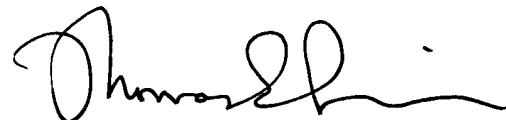
Enclosed are:

[x] 13 Pages of specification, claims and abstract.
[x] 10 Sheets of drawings.
[] An Assignment (with cover sheet) of the invention.
[] A certified copy of a _____ application.
[x] Applicant claims small entity status.
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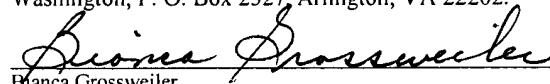


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